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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 108
By Stamps

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate sponsor Julie Barnard
and the Beech High School Football
Cheerleaders.

WHEREAS, It is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pay tribute to those outstanding young people who have earned numerous awards and accolades and who have brought great honor to their respective schools and communities by means of their worthy endeavors in the realm of athletic competition; and

WHEREAS, Despite the rigors of stiff competition, the Beech High School Football Cheerleaders have emerged victorious to claim the prestigious status of first place in the International Open Cheerleading Championships sponsored by the World Cheerleading Association; and

WHEREAS, The highly talented and vivacious cheerleaders of Beech High School surpassed their previous mighty efforts and vanquished the other superlative squads for the fourteenth year in a row to be selected by other camp squads to receive the Key to Spirit Leadership Award; and

WHEREAS, These twelve talented cheerleaders showed herculean effort and singular skills to earn first place in the sideline competition, and second place in the dance competition at summer camp (UCA camp at Tennessee Tech), and first place in the co-ed division of the TSSAA high school cheerleading competition; and

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WHEREAS, Each individual cheerleader is both a champion in his or her own right and a significant contributor to the overall success of the squad. These remarkable athletes are: Seniors, Kerry Lane, captain; Briana Carroll, co-captain; Rachel Lewis, Bridget Mayo, and Andrew Finney; Juniors, Mary McPherson, Leigh Reese, and Christi Keough; and Sophomores, Erica Butler, Lindsey Tate, Tara Newsom and Sarah Clark; and

WHEREAS, The Beech High School cheerleaders have benefitted greatly from the stellar leadership and guidance of their faculty advisor and sponsor Julie Barnard, and their principal, Mary Clouse; and

WHEREAS, These wonderful cheerleaders of Sumner County have inspired their school's athletic teams to monumental success, and in turn have attained the very pinnacle of cheerleading competition themselves; they are richly deserving of the respect and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and congratulate the Beech High School cheerleaders on winning first Place in the International Open Cheerleading Championships.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.